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## RUSSIA.

*Plague in Odessa.*

[Message telephoned from Consular Bureau, State Department.]

ODESSA, November 10, 1901.

*Hon. Secretary of State:* Plague.—HEENAN, Consul.

*Foreign and insular statistical reports of countries and cities—Yearly and monthly.*

ARGENTINA—*Buenos Ayres*.—Month of August, 1901. Estimated population, 800,000. Total number of deaths, 1,571, including diphtheria, 22; enteric fever, 6; measles, 9; scarlet fever, 25; smallpox, 142, and 191 from tuberculosis.

BAHAMAS—*Dunmore Town*.—Two weeks ended October 25, 1901. Estimated population, 1,232. One death. No contagious diseases.

*Governors Harbor*.—Two weeks ended October 25, 1901. Estimated population, 1,375. No deaths and no contagious diseases.

*Green Turtle Cay—Abaco*.—Two weeks ended October 25, 1901. Estimated population, 3,314. No deaths and no contagious diseases.

*Inagua*.—Three weeks ended September 30, 1901. Estimated population, 1,460. No deaths and no contagious diseases.

*Long Cay*.—Two weeks ended September 28, 1901. Estimated population, 3,661. No deaths and no contagious diseases.

*Nassau*.—Two weeks ended October 26, 1901. Estimated population, 12,535. Number of deaths not reported. No contagious diseases reported.

BRAZIL—*Pernambuco*.—Two weeks ended September 15, 1901. Estimated population, 200,000. Total number of deaths, 262, including enteric fever, 1; smallpox, 43; yellow fever, 1, and 54 from tuberculosis.

Two weeks ended September 30, 1901. Total number of deaths, 301, including enteric fever, 1; measles, 2; whooping cough, 1; smallpox, 73, and 44 from tuberculosis.

CANADA—*Hamilton*.—Month of October, 1901. Estimated population, 52,665. Total number of deaths, 62, including diphtheria, 3; enteric fever, 2; scarlet fever, 2, and 6 from tuberculosis.

*Manitoba—Winnipeg*.—Month of October, 1901. Estimated population, 25,642. Total number of deaths not reported. Five deaths from diphtheria, 14 from enteric fever, and 1 from tuberculosis.

*Quebec—Sherbrooke*.—Month of October, 1901. Estimated population, 11,765. Total number of deaths, 20, including diphtheria, 1; enteric fever, 1, and 1 from whooping cough.

CHILE—*Antofagasta*.—Month of September, 1901. Estimated population, 16,000. Total number of deaths, 56, including 3 from tuberculosis.

CUBA—*Santiago*.—Month of September, 1901. Estimated population,

45,000. Total number of deaths, 67, including enteric fever, 2, and 12 from tuberculosis.

FRANCE—*St. Etienne*.—Two weeks ended October 15, 1901. Estimated population, 146,671. Total number of deaths, 111, including diphtheria, 1; enteric fever, 1, and 13 from tuberculosis.

GERMANY—*Dresden*.—Month of August, 1901. Estimated population, 406,780. Total number of deaths, 809, including diphtheria, 4; enteric fever, 4; measles, 4; scarlet fever, 3; whooping cough, 21, and 67 from phthisis pulmonalis.

GREAT BRITAIN—*England and Wales*.—The deaths registered in 33 great towns in England and Wales during the week ended October 19, 1901, correspond to an annual rate of 16.8 per 1,000 of the aggregate population, which is estimated at 11,463,026. The highest rate was recorded in Gateshead, viz, 28.8, and the lowest in Bristol, viz, 11.1.

*Bradford*.—Two weeks ended October 19, 1901. Estimated population, 279,809. Total number of deaths, 165 including diphtheria, 2; enteric fever, 2; scarlet fever, 3; whooping cough, 1, and 13 from tuberculosis.

*London*.—One thousand three hundred and ninety-four deaths were registered during the week, including measles, 22; scarlet fever, 13; diphtheria, 33; whooping cough, 6; enteric fever, 19; smallpox, 11, and diarrhea and dysentery, 56. The deaths from all causes correspond to an annual rate of 16 per 1,000. In Greater London 855 deaths were registered, corresponding to an annual rate of 14.6 per 1,000 of the population. In the "outer ring" the deaths included 13 from diphtheria, 5 from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 1 from smallpox, and 3 from whooping cough.

*Ireland*.—The average annual death rate represented by the deaths registered during the week ended October 19, 1901, in the 21 principal town districts of Ireland was 17.2 per 1,000 of the population, which is estimated at 1,079,708. The lowest rate was recorded in Tralee, viz, 0.0, and the highest in Queenstown, viz, 39.7 per 1,000. In Dublin and suburbs 150 deaths were registered, including diphtheria, 1; enteric fever, 3, and 1 from whooping cough.

*Scotland*.—The deaths registered in 8 principal towns during the week ended October 19, 1901, correspond to an annual rate of 16.9 per 1,000 of the population, which is estimated at 1,656,525. The lowest mortality was recorded in Aberdeen, viz, 11.8, and the highest in Greenock, viz, 22.9 per 1,000. The aggregate number of deaths registered from all causes was 537, including diphtheria, 12; measles, 15; scarlet fever, 5, and 12 from whooping cough.

ITALY—*Genoa*.—Month of July, 1901. Estimated population, 230,969. Total number of deaths, 387, including diphtheria, 2; enteric fever, 2; measles, 5; smallpox, 3, and 51 from tuberculosis.

RUSSIA—*Riga*.—Month of January, 1901. Census population, 282,000. Total number of deaths, 559, including diphtheria, 6; enteric fever, 7;

measles, 3; scarlet fever, 18; whooping cough, 19; smallpox, 18, and 68 from phthisis pulmonalis.

Month of February, 1901. Total number of deaths, 545, including diphtheria, 4; enteric fever, 11; measles, 4; scarlet fever, 5; whooping cough, 23; smallpox, 7, and 71 from phthisis pulmonalis.

Month of March, 1901. Total number of deaths, 520, including diphtheria, 9; enteric fever, 5; measles, 4; scarlet fever, 11; whooping cough, 12; smallpox, 8, and 63 from phthisis pulmonalis.

Month of April, 1901. Total number of deaths, 513, including diphtheria, 7; enteric fever, 4; measles, 2; scarlet fever, 13; whooping cough, 24; smallpox, 14, and 55 from phthisis pulmonalis.

Month of May, 1901. Total number of deaths, 562, including diphtheria, 4; enteric fever, 1; measles, 2; scarlet fever, 23; whooping cough, 16; smallpox, 16, and 62 from phthisis pulmonalis.

Month of June, 1901. Total number of deaths, 728, including diphtheria, 3; enteric fever, 9; measles, 3; scarlet fever, 26; whooping cough, 27; smallpox, 11, and 48 from phthisis pulmonalis.

SPAIN—*Barcelona*.—Two weeks ended October 15, 1901. Estimated population, 600,000. Total number of deaths not reported. Thirty deaths from enteric fever reported.

*Malaga*.—Month of September, 1901. Estimated population, 133,000. Total number of deaths, 267, including enteric fever, 10, and 4 from smallpox.

*Valencia*.—Two weeks ended October 20, 1901. Estimated population, 204,000. Total number of deaths, 160, including enteric fever, 3, and 13 from smallpox.

*Vigo*.—Month of September, 1901. Estimated population, 20,000. Total number of deaths, 48, including 4 from tuberculosis.

ST. HELENA.—Four weeks ended September 28, 1901. Estimated population, 3,342. Total number of deaths, 6, including 1 from tuberculosis.